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ORDERING CARS.

In addition to 1,449 freight cars which the Southern Railway has placed in service since July 1st and 1,891 ordered in the spring which have not yet been delivered by the builders, the Southern has just placed orders for 2,963 freight cars and 45 locomotives for the earliest possible delivery.

MEN FEEL TIRED, TOO.

While much is said about tired women it must be remembered that men also pay the penalty of overwork. When the kidneys are weak, inactive or sluggish, when one feels tired out and miserable, has the "blues," lacks energy and ambition, Foley Kidney Pills are tonic and strengthening. They act quickly. For sale by Reed & Burnett.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

All persons having claims against the estate of Samuel Cline, deceased, are hereby directed to present same to me, duly authenticated, for payment. Also all persons who are owing the said estate are urged to make early settlement of same with me.
11-29-31 T. F. Brown, Executor.

NOVEMBER WEATHER.

Early cold snaps, storms and sleet, snow and sleet, cause coughs and colds. Foley's Honey and Tar acts quickly, cuts the phlegm, opens air passages, allays irritation, heals inflammation and enables the sufferer to breathe easily and naturally so that sleep is not disturbed by hacking cough. For sale by Reed & Burnett.

POPULATION OF U. S.

The estimated population of the United States proper, January 1, 1917, is nearly one hundred and three millions. Including our insular population the estimate is placed at a little over one hundred and thirteen millions.

RUB OUT PAIN

with good oil liniment. That's the surest way to stop them. The best rubbing liniment is

MUSTANG LINIMENT

Good for the Ailments of Horses, Mules, Cattle, Etc.
Good for your own Aches, Pains, Rheumatism, Sprains, Cuts, Burns, Etc.
25c. 50c. \$1. At all Dealers.

Waterman's Ideal Fountain Pen



For Christmas

If you want to make a Christmas Gift for a little money that will be highly appreciated because of its beauty, convenience and usefulness, you cannot do better than to give a

WATERMAN IDEAL FOUNTAIN PEN.

In spite of the fact that almost everything has advanced in price, the Waterman Ideal Fountain Pen has not been advanced in price. In point of excellence there is no better fountain pen made than the Waterman Ideal.

Prices: 2.50 to \$13.00

This is the Christmas when gifts will run more to the useful than to the dainty that is only to look at. You can follow the fashion and buy useful Christmas presents. As a Christmas gift nothing of equal cost can surpass a Waterman Ideal Fountain Pen.

Because the cheap fountain pens you have been trying to use do not give satisfaction, do not think the Waterman will prove a disappointment too. When we sell you a Waterman it MUST work to suit or it is our pen, and you get your money back. That is the way we sell them.

Chronicle Publishing Co.

Burke.

John Nail made a business trip to Grandview last week.

Rev. Cobble, who was pastor of the church here some years ago, preached at Parham's Chapel Saturday and Sunday.

Steward Hinch of Jewett was in this neighborhood Saturday.

Lee and Tom Sherrill went to Crossville Friday.

Mrs. A. R. Burnett has been quite ill for a few days.

Rev. Mrs. George Kerley visited Mrs. A. R. Burnett last week.

The little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Brown has been very sick for a few days.

Dewey Sherrill, who has been going to school at Grandview, spent a few days at home last week, on account of the boys' hall having burned down. Most of the boys saved only as much of their clothing as they were wearing at the time of the fire.

J. M. Childs is running a blacksmith shop at the Tollett mill.

Sam Agee has purchased the farm of Mrs. Martha Davenport in the Swafford hollow.
Nov. 27. Marigold.

CONSTIPATION DULLS YOUR BRAIN.

That dull, listless, oppressed feeling is due to impurities in your system, sluggish liver, clogged intestines. Dr. King's New Life Pills give prompt relief. A mild, easy, non-gripping bowel movement will tone up your system and help to clear your muddy, pimply complexion. Get a bottle of Dr. King's New Life Pills today at your druggist, 25c. A dose tonight will make you cheerful at breakfast. 2.

CITIZENS OF FOREIGN BIRTH.

Will They Be Forced to Uphold Country In Which They Live?

In view of the discussion we have had in this country in the past few months regarding the attitude of foreign born and unnaturalized resi-

dents of this country toward the government, it is interesting to know that Canada, during the period in which she is participating in war against nations whose citizens have emigrated to that country, is grappling with this same problem.

Alien immigrants who have not taken upon themselves the obligations of Canadian citizenship are living in Canada without any possibility of being called upon to serve in the army, but are reaping the profits of war conditions which have brought prosperity to many lines of industry.

Naturally there is much agitation in favor of some step that will force the immigrants to take upon themselves the responsibilities of citizenship. Discussing this subject, the "Mail and Empire," of Toronto, says:

"Aliens are free to make fortunes here, and in hosts of cases are making fortunes. People of alien blood are on the same footing as the sons of Britain and as the descendants of the hardy pioneers who made this a comfortable land to dwell in. But Canada cannot be so liberal to immigrants from foreign lands as to exempt them and their children after them from the duties of defending her and the Empire to which she belongs. If they balk at that, then they ought to be sent back to the country of their origin."

This expression may furnish food for thought among Americans.

ODD AND INTERESTING ITEMS.

The skin of newly born negro baby is little darker than a white child, but in a few days the color begins to deepen so that in four or five days the color becomes fixed.

According to reports, thousands of seals will be killed next year on the Pribilof islands in Bering sea. They have been protected for several years.

The government is preparing to establish a potash factory at some point off the Pacific coast and take the potash from kelp or seaweed.

CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEE BEGINS RAILWAY INQUIRY

Proposed by President to Better Condition of Carriers.

MAY CHANGE PRESENT SYSTEM

Officials of Roads Prepared to Advocate Federal Incorporation, Supervision of Securities and Extension of Authority of Interstate Commerce Commission.

Washington, Nov. 20.—Ten members of Congress, five Senators and five members of the House of Representatives, began here today an inquiry into the subject of public control and supervision of railroads that may lead to the revolutionizing of the whole scheme of governmental regulation of the country's transportation lines. Incidentally the committee is to look into the question of government ownership of railroads, telephone and telegraph lines and express companies.

The members of the committee which will conduct this important investigation are Senator Newlands of Nevada, chairman; Senators Robinson of Arkansas, Underwood of Alabama, Cummins of Iowa and Brandegee of Connecticut, and Representatives Adamson of Georgia, Sims of Tennessee, Cullop of Indiana, Esch of Wisconsin and Hamilton of Michigan. The inquiry was recommended by President Wilson in his message to Congress in December of last year. He described as its purpose to determine what could be done "for bettering the conditions under which the railroads are operated and for making them more useful servants of the country as a whole."

Prominent Men as Witnesses.

In order to obtain the views of all interests affected by the operations of the transportation lines the committee has invited prominent shippers, bankers, representatives of commercial organizations, railway executives, economists and others to appear before them. The first to be heard are railroad commissioners of various states who began their evidence today. Their testimony is directed chiefly to opposing any enlargement of the federal authority over commerce that would detract from the powers now exercised by state bodies. They will be followed shortly by officials of railway labor organizations who are expected to register their opposition to the increase of governmental authority over wages and conditions of labor.

Chief interest in the hearings centers in the proposals that will be put forward by representatives of the railroads. For it is reported that they will advocate an extension of federal authority over rates and securities to the practical exclusion of state control of these matters. It is understood also that they will go on record in favor of federal incorporation of all railroad lines.

Legislative Program of Railroads.

From an authoritative source is obtained the following outline of the legislative program which the railroads will ask the committee to consider in its investigation: They will endeavor to demonstrate to the commission that one of the principal defects in the present system of railroad regulation is the lack of coordination resulting from the simultaneous and conflicting regulation by the federal government and by the 48 states. They will, therefore, ask that entire governmental control of the rates and practices of interstate carriers, except purely local matters, be placed in the hands of a federal body so that interstate traffic may be regulated without reference to state lines, leaving to the state commissions jurisdiction only over local matters and local public utilities. As a part of this plan, a compulsory system of federal incorporation is to be recommended, accompanied by federal supervision of railroad stock and bond issues.

A reorganization of the Interstate Commerce Commission will be asked, in order to enable the commission properly to exercise its increased powers. It is also proposed that the preparation and prosecution of cases against the railroads shall be delegated to some other agency of the government, possibly the Department of Justice, so that the commission may devote its energies to its administrative functions.

With the commission thus relieved of some of its present duties and equipped to handle its business more promptly, the railroads will urge that the period during which the commission may now suspend proposed increases in rates be reduced from ten months to 60 days, with provision for reparation to be paid to the shippers if the advance shall be declared unreasonable.

They will also ask that the commission be given the power to prescribe minimum as well as maximum rates so that in meeting complaints of discrimination the commission may order the advance of a rate which it considers too low.

Pleasant Hill.

This column is under the management of the English class, in the High School department of Pleasant Hill Academy.

We have been having some delightful weather of which the farmers have made good use. Gathering corn seems to have taken the place of digging potatoes.

At present men are working on the Memphis to Bristol Highway within the corporation limits of Pleasant Hill.

November seventeenth and eighteenth most of the teachers and the double quartette were attending the Union Teachers' meeting in Crossville.

The Athenaeum Society has postponed its meeting of Friday, November twenty-fourth, to Friday, December first. It will then give a Thanksgiving program.

The girls of "The Aurora" are having good practice in debating.

The Demosthenian Society has been challenged to a debate with Sports high school.

Pitching horseshoes has temporarily taken the place of tennis and volleyball. However, a new volleyball ball is expected and with it the enthusiasm for the game will be renewed.

Friday evening, the faculty entertained the students with a program and games.

The social committee of the Christian Endeavor gave a social to the members of the society Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hembree and children, Crossville, visited Mrs. Hembree's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cook, a few days ago.

Alton Henegar, of Nashville, has been visiting in Pleasant Hill recently. Mrs. Albert Ramsey is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Tilbert Bice, who has been quite ill, is improving rapidly.

Catarrh Cannot Be Cured

with LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrh is a local disease, greatly influenced by constitutional conditions, and in order to cure it you must take an internal remedy. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally and acts thru the blood on the mucous surfaces of the system. Hall's Catarrh Cure was prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years. It is composed of some of the best tonics known, combined with some of the best blood purifiers. The perfect combination of the ingredients in Hall's Catarrh Cure is what produces such wonderful results in catarrhal conditions. Send for testimonials, free. F. J. CHENEY & CO., Props., Toledo, O. All Druggists, 75c.

Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Report of the Condition of the
FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
at Crossville, in the State of Tenn., at the close of business Nov. 17, 1916.
No. 9809.

RESOURCES.

Loans and Discounts	\$116,042 56
Overdrafts, unsecured	101 34
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	15,000 00
Securities other than U. S. bonds, (not including stocks) owned unpledged	
Total Bonds, Securities, etc.	17,066 00
Subscription to stock of Federal Reserve Bank	
\$2,100 00. Less amount unpaid \$1,050 00	1,050 00
Banking house, \$3,400 00; furniture and fixtures \$1,900 00	5,300 00
Other Real Estate owned	2,602 62
Due from Federal Reserve bank	
Due from approved Reserve Agents in New York, Chicago and St. Louis, \$2,016 25. Due from approved reserve agents in other reserve cities \$37,234 17	39,250 42
Outside Checks and other Cash Items, \$735 28; Fractional Currency, \$38 79	774 07
Notes of other National Banks	2,800 00
Lawful Money Reserve in Bank	20,054 46
Total coin and certificates Legal-tender notes	
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)	750 00
Total	220,821 47

LIABILITIES.

Capital stock paid in	\$ 25,000 00
Surplus fund	10,000 00
Undivided Profits, \$8,795 64 Less current expenses, interest and Taxes paid \$2,468 51	6,327 13
Circulating notes,	\$14,597 50
Demand deposits:	
Individual deposits subject to check	93,316 57
Certificates of deposit due in less than 30 days	23,771 35
Cashier's checks outstanding	2,171 06
Time deposits:	
Certificates of deposit	45,637 86

Total 220,821 47
State of Tennessee, County of Cumberland.

I, J. S. Reed, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. S. Reed,
Cashier.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25th day of Nov., 1916.

G. W. Cline,
Notary Public.

Correct-Attest:
W. J. Hodges,
Andy Elmore,
F. J. Upham,
Directors.